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- Massachusetts police arrested a suspect July 15 who is believed to be connected to a ring of Romanian ATM skimmers that have stolen over \$1 million from Bank of America. – *WFXT 25 Boston* (See item [3](#))
- Officials revealed July 15 that airline workers smuggled drugs through a Texas airport for distribution nationwide as part of an undercover operation orchestrated by Federal and local agents that led to the indictment of 46 people. – *Washington Post* (See item [12](#))
- Aspen Foods, a subsidy of Koch Poultry Company of Chicago, is recalling approximately 1,978,680 pounds of frozen, raw, stuffed, and breaded chicken products due to possible salmonella enteritis contamination.– *Food Safety News* (See item [15](#))
- A Colorado man was convicted July 17 of 24 counts of first-degree murder from a July 2012 theater shooting in which 12 people died and 70 others wounded. – *CNN* (See item [20](#))

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## **Energy Sector**

Nothing to report

## **Chemical Industry Sector**

Nothing to report

## **Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector**

Nothing to report

## **Critical Manufacturing Sector**

1. *July 16, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission* – (National) **Reliance Worldwide recalls Cash Acme Heatguard Temperature Actuated Flow Reducing (TAFR) devices due to scald hazard.** Reliance Worldwide issued a recall for about 26,000 Cash Acme Heatguard brand Temperature Actuated Flow Reducing devices due to an issue in which the device thermal element can fail to operate, posing a risk of scalding. Source: [http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2015/Reliance-Worldwide-Recalls-Cash-Acme-Heatguard-Temperature-Actuated-Flow-Reducing-Devices/?utm\\_source=feedly&utm\\_medium=rss&utm\\_campaign=Recalls+RSS](http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2015/Reliance-Worldwide-Recalls-Cash-Acme-Heatguard-Temperature-Actuated-Flow-Reducing-Devices/?utm_source=feedly&utm_medium=rss&utm_campaign=Recalls+RSS)

## **Defense Industrial Base Sector**

Nothing to report

## **Financial Services Sector**

2. *July 17, Long Beach Press-Telegram* – (California) **‘Cal Bear Bandit’ pleads guilty to bank robberies in Westminster.** The suspect dubbed the “Cal Bear Bandit” pleaded guilty July 16 to charges surrounding 8 bank robberies across Orange County dating back to August 2014. Source: <http://www.presstelegram.com/general-news/20150716/cal-bear-bandit-pleads-guilty-to-bank-robberies-in-westminster>
3. *July 16, WFXT 25 Boston* – (Massachusetts) **Medford police arrest man possibly connected to ATM skimming ring.** Police in Medford, Massachusetts arrested a suspect July 15 believed to be connected to a ring of Romanian ATM skimmers that have stolen over \$1 million from Bank of America. The suspect allegedly stole over \$100,000 from the bank and is linked to 4 other cases in Massachusetts. Source: <http://www.myfoxboston.com/story/29566726/medford-police-arrest-man-possibly-connected-to-atm-skimming-ring>
4. *July 16, Dow Jones Business News* – (National) **BMO Harris settles Ponzi scheme lawsuit for \$16 million.** BMO Harris Bank agreed to pay \$16 million July 16 in a settlement with Palm Beach Finance Partners LP and Palm Beach Finance II LP,

resolving allegations that its subsidiary, M&I Bank, was complicit in a Ponzi scheme run by a Minnesota businessman that cost investors billions of dollars.

Source: <http://www.nasdaq.com/article/bmo-harris-settles-ponzi-scheme-lawsuit-for-16-million-20150716-00873>

5. *July 16, U.S. Department of Justice* – (National) **California payment processing company owner pleads guilty to fraud.** The owner of California-based Check Site Inc., pleaded guilty July 16 to charges that he used his company to assist at least two fraudulent payday loan merchants who used consumer information to withdraw millions of dollars from consumer accounts without their knowledge by knowingly processing the transactions, and by providing the merchants access to the banking system via remotely created checks (RCC).  
Source: <https://www.fbi.gov/philadelphia/press-releases/2015/california-payment-processing-company-owner-pleads-guilty-to-fraud>

For additional stories, see items [9](#) and [22](#)

## **Transportation Systems Sector**

6. *July 17, WSAZ 3 Huntington* – (West Virginia) **WB I-64 re-opens after 9 vehicle crash.** Interstate 64 westbound in Huntington has fully re-opened July 17 after being shut down for more than 8 hours while crews cleared the scene of an accident that involved 9 vehicles and spilled a large amount of diesel fuel onto the roadway July 16. Minor injuries were reported and the cause of the crash remains under investigation.  
Source: <http://www.wsaz.com/home/headlines/Multiple-Vehicle-Crash-on-Westbound-I-64-Ties-Up-Traffic-316012921.html>
7. *July 17, Associated Press* – (New York) **No one injured when tour bus catches fire on NY highway.** Southbound lanes of Interstate 87 in Queensbury, was shut down for about 5 hours after a tour bus carrying 55 passengers caught on fire prompting the response of emergency crews July 16. No injuries were reported and passengers were put on another bus.  
Source: <http://www.seattlepi.com/news/article/No-one-injured-when-tour-bus-catches-fire-on-NY-6390245.php>
8. *July 17, Riverside Press-Enterprise* – (California) **Lake Elsinore: Ortega Highway blaze caused by crash; highway reopened.** Ortega Highway 74 in Lake Elsinore was shut down for nearly a day July 15 while crews responded to a car accident that sparked a 5-acre bushfire. One injury was reported and authorities are investigating the crash.  
Source: <http://www.pe.com/articles/fire-773457-highway-lake.html>
9. *July 17, WBNS 10 Columbus* – (Maryland) **Armored truck spills cash inside highway tunnel.** Baltimore's Harbor Tunnel reopened July 16 after being shut down in both directions for approximately 7 hours while crews recovered money that fell out of the rear door of a Brinks armored truck July 15 after the truck's door security malfunctioned.  
Source: <http://www.10tv.com/content/stories/2015/07/17/ap-baltimore-maryland-cash->

[spills-onto-highway.html](#)

10. *July 16, WITI 6 Milwaukee* – (Wisconsin) **“Whole road engulfed in flames!” Ethanol tanker erupts following collision on Highway 33.** Highway 33 near Horicon was shut down for over 9 hours July 16 while crews responded to a fire caused by a head-on collision that involved 2-vehicles, including an overturned semi-truck hauling ethanol which erupted into flames and critically injured 1 person.  
Source: <http://fox6now.com/2015/07/16/highway-33-closed-near-horicon-due-to-crash/>
11. *July 16, Associated Press* – (Washington) **Delta jet makes emergency landing at Sea-Tac after engine fire.** A Delta Air Lines flight headed from Alaska to George made an emergency landing at the Seattle Sea-Tac Airport July 16 after one of its engines caught fire due to an engine surge. The 255 passengers had to reschedule their flights for July 17.  
Source: <http://www.komonews.com/news/local/Delta-jetliner-makes-emergency-landing-at-Sea-Tac-315802531.html>
12. *July 16, Washington Post* – (National) **46 indicted in alleged drug ring at Tex. airport.** Officials revealed July 15 that airline workers smuggled drugs through Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport for distribution nationwide as part of an undercover operation orchestrated by Federal and local agents that led to the indictment of 46 people who allegedly helped carry drugs to evade the Transportation Security Administration, and board planes to Chicago, Las Vegas, Newark, Phoenix, Wichita and San Francisco.  
Source: <http://readingeagle.com/ap/article/46-indicted-in-alleged-drug-ring-at-tex-airport>

## **Food and Agriculture Sector**

13. *July 16, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **D&D Foods issues allergy alert on undeclared milk and wheat in Hy-Vee American Macaroni Salad.** Omaha, Nebraska-based D&D Foods, Inc. is recalling 3-pound containers of Hy-Vee American Macaroni Salad due to undeclared milk and wheat allergen. The product was distributed to Hy-Vee grocery stores nationwide.  
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm455096.htm>
14. *July 16, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (Minnesota; Illinois) **Supervalu issues alert on undeclared milk in Cub Foods and Rainbow Foods Danish Rolls 4ct.** Supervalu Inc. an Eden Prairie, Minnesota establishment, is recalling 13oz packages of Cub Foods and Rainbow Foods Danish Rolls due to an undeclared milk allergen. The product was produced and distributed to Cub Foods and Rainbow Foods location in Minnesota and Illinois.  
Source: <http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm455188.htm>
15. *July 16, Food Safety News* – (National) **Nearly 2 million pounds of frozen, raw stuffed chicken products recalled.** Aspen Foods, a subsidiary of Koch Poultry Company of Chicago, is recalling approximately 1,978,680 pounds of frozen, raw, stuffed, and

breaded chicken products due to possible salmonella enteritis contamination. The products were shipped nationwide.

Source: <http://www.foodsafetynews.com/2015/07/nearly-2-million-pounds-of-frozen-raw-stuffed-chicken-products-recalled/#.VajsINxBSUk>

## **Water and Wastewater Systems Sector**

16. *July 16, KPIX 5 San Francisco* – (California) **Monterey beach closed after sewage spill at Cannery Row Restaurant.** The Monterey County Environment Health Bureau closed access to McAbee Beach July 16 while officials procured water samples after reports of an unknown amount of sewage spilled from a Cannery Row restaurant that sits adjacent to the beach.

Source: <http://sanfrancisco.cbslocal.com/2015/07/16/monterey-beach-closed-after-sewage-spill-at-cannery-row-restaurant/>

## **Healthcare and Public Health Sector**

17. *July 16, U.S. Department of Justice* – (Pennsylvania) **Superseding indictment adds charges and members of the Pagans to pill mill case against Pennsylvania doctor.** A superseding indictment was unsealed July 16 charging a Pennsylvania osteopathic doctor and 8 additional defendants with allegedly distributing or conspiring to distribute controlled substances including oxycodone, methadone and amphetamines between March 2012 – January 2015 at a street value of approximately \$5 million, among other charges.

Source: <https://www.fbi.gov/philadelphia/press-releases/2015/superseding-indictment-adds-charges-and-members-of-the-pagans-to-pill-mill-case-against-pennsylvania-doctor>

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## **Government Facilities Sector**

18. *July 16, Jefferson City News Tribune* – (Missouri) **Electrical malfunction believed to have caused fire at LU research center.** The Dickinson Research Center at Lincoln University in Jefferson City, Missouri was evacuated July 16 after a 3-alarm fire caused considerable damage to the structure. Officials have not confirmed the cause of the fire, and one firefighter was treated for minor injuries.

Source: <http://www.newstribune.com/news/2015/jul/16/lu-research-center-fire/>

19. *July 16, Washington Post* – (National) **Federal personnel files still very vulnerable and ‘prime targets’ for hackers, audit finds.** An audit by the U.S. Department of the Interior inspector general’s office found 3,000 “critical” and “high-risk” vulnerabilities in 3 unnamed key bureaus of the department, potentially allowing hackers to gain access to internal networks through hundreds of publicly accessible computers whose systems are compromised. A lack of central authority over the agency’s information technology systems is delaying fixes, according to the agency’s chief information officer.

Source: <http://www.washingtonpost.com/blogs/federal-eye/wp/2015/07/16/federal-personnel-files-still-very-vulnerable-and-prime-targets-for-hackers-audit-finds/>

## **Emergency Services Sector**

20. *July 17, CNN* – (Colorado) **Found guilty of murder in Colorado theater shooting.** A Colorado man was convicted July 17 of 24 counts of first-degree murder from a July 2012 theater shooting in which 12 people died and 70 others wounded.  
Source: <http://www.cnn.com/2015/07/16/us/james-holmes-trial-colorado-movie-theater-shooting-verdict/index.html>

## **Information Technology Sector**

21. *July 17, Help Net Security* – (International) **Nearly all Web sites have serious security vulnerabilities.** Acunetix released a report on 15,000 Web site and network scans of 5,500 companies revealing that almost half of Web applications scanned contained high security vulnerabilities, and 4 of 5 were affected by medium security vulnerabilities, plying that most organizations fail to comply with the Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard (PCI DSS), among other findings.  
Source: <http://www.net-security.org/secworld.php?id=18637>
22. *July 16, Help Net Security* – (International) **New GamaPoS malware targets U.S. companies.** Security researchers from Trend Micro reported that the operators are using the Andromeda botnet to deliver a new point-of-sale (PoS) malware called GamaPoS that scrapes data via Microsoft's .NET platform, to U.S. financial, information technology, supply, hospitality, and retail organizations nationally, among others.  
Source: [http://www.net-security.org/malware\\_news.php?id=3077](http://www.net-security.org/malware_news.php?id=3077)
23. *July 16, Threatpost* – (International) **TotoLink routers plagued by XSS, CSRF, RCE bugs.** Security researchers reported that 15 TotoLink routers contain backdoor credentials, multiple remote code execution flaws that could allow an attacker to bypass administrator authentication and execute commands, and cross-site scripting (XSS) and cross-site request forgery (CSRF) vulnerabilities that could allow an attacker to change router network configuration settings.  
Source: <https://threatpost.com/totolink-routers-plagued-by-xss-csrf-rce-bugs/113816>

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### **Internet Alert Dashboard**

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Information on IT information sharing and analysis can be found at the IT ISAC (Information Sharing and Analysis Center) Web site: <http://www.it-isac.org>

## Communications Sector

24. *July 17, Reuters* – (National) **T-Mobile to pay \$17.5 million to settle U.S. 911 outage investigation.** The Federal Communications Commission reported July 17 that T-Mobile US Inc. has agreed to pay \$17.5 million to settle a U.S. investigation of two 911 service outages in 2014 that prevented callers from reaching first responders for 3 hours.  
Source: [http://www.streetinsider.com/Corporate+News/T-Mobile+to+pay+\\$17.5+million+to+settle+U.S.+911+outage+investigation/10731828.html](http://www.streetinsider.com/Corporate+News/T-Mobile+to+pay+$17.5+million+to+settle+U.S.+911+outage+investigation/10731828.html)
25. *July 16, KSHB 41 Kansas City* – (Missouri) **Time Warner outage affects Liberty area, left thousands without service.** Time Warner customers in the Liberty area experienced Internet, phone, and cable outages July 16 after a backhoe hit a fiber line near Interstate 35. Crews planned to have service restored by July 17.  
Source: <http://www.kshb.com/news/region-missouri/liberty/time-warner-outage-affects-liberty-area>

## Commercial Facilities Sector

26. *July 17, KCRA 3 Sacramento* – (California) **Rancho Cordova apartment fire causes roof to collapse.** A July 17 fire destroyed several units, the building roof, and displaced 20 residents at the Bishop Court Apartments in Rancho Cordova, California. Fire crews extinguished the flames and damages total \$500,000.  
Source: <http://www.kcra.com/news/local-news/news-sacramento/rancho-cordova-apartment-fire-causes-roof-to-collapse/34216890>
27. *July 16, WVEC 13 Hampton* – (Virginia) **2 Hazmat situations in Va. Beach; some evacuations.** Four businesses in Virginia Beach were evacuated July 16 following a propane leak that prompted HAZMAT crews to respond to the incident. No injuries were reported.  
Source: <http://www.13newsnow.com/story/news/local/mycity/virginia-beach/2015/07/16/propane-leak-forces-evacuation-of-4-va-beach-businesses/30231639/>

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## Dams Sector

Nothing to report





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